

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number	10/766784	Docket Number	CHAP.0104
Filed	1/28/2004	Group Art Unit	2187
Examiner	Matthew A Bradley	Customer No.	23669
Application Title	STORAGE CONTROLLER AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING HOST ACCESS CONTROL IN THE HOST INTERFACE ADAPTER		
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RESPONSE B

Mail Stop **Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of 12/15/2006, with a shortened statutory period of response set to expire 3/15/2007, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Conclusions begin on page 9 of this paper.